



# FEBRUARY 1<sup>ST</sup>



## On this day in...

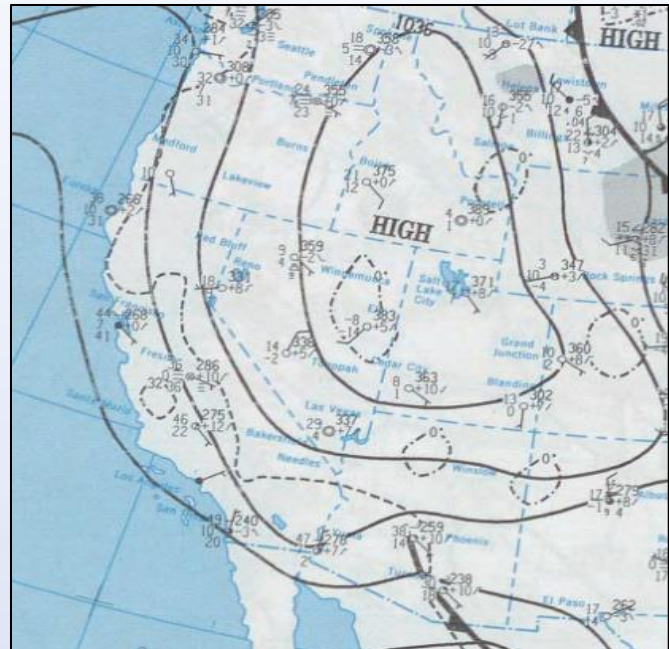
**1994:** A strong area of high pressure over the Great Basin brought gusty Santa Ana winds to the region. In Rialto wind gusts reached 65 mph, with tree and power line damage reported.

**1990:** Strong winds following a cold front caused widespread power outages in Palm Springs, Hemet, Riverside, and Victorville. A window was blown out of a high rise in L.A., resulting in minor injuries to a pedestrian.

**1986:** 16 foot waves hit San Diego County, but no drownings or serious injuries resulted.

**1979:** 56 inches of snow fell in Big Bear Lake from 1/31 to 2/2, the greatest storm snowfall on record.

**1940:** The Weather Bureau opened an office in the Administration Building at Lindbergh Field.



A 1039 millibar surface high over southern Idaho on this day in 1994 contributed to the offshore winds.